

Your Partner in Abuse Prevention

We're your partner.

Online:

Visit InsuranceBoard.org for more information and resources to help you prevent the disruptive impact of a loss.

By Phone:

Call **800.437.8830, option 6** to connect with an Insurance Board team member who can assist you.

Email:

Please email any questions to:

LossControl@InsuranceBoard.org

Your Agent:

Find your agent here

As the only non-profit insurance program exclusively serving six denominations, we operate as a financial ministry. This unique distinction sets us apart from any other property-liability insurance provider. As your ecumenical partner, we understand your ministry; we know your stories, we visit your ministries, and we walk with you during a claim.

Insurance Board is committed to providing superior property, casualty risk, and insurance management services. For 35 years, Insurance Board has been committed to ensuring your ministry receives superior coverage and top tier service.

At Insurance Board, reducing risk and claims directly translates to lowering the cost of insurance for all churches.



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PROTECT YOUR MOST VULNERABLE CONGREGANTS

Failure to discover a sex offender can affect those in your care, your reputation, financial stability, and trust within the community.

Insurance Board has partnered with Praesidium to provide access to expert knowledge and targeted solutions to help you strengthen your abuse prevention efforts.

DID YOU KNOW?

Sexual Abuse of Minors is the number 1 reason churches end up in court.*

1 in 4 girls, 25% experience abuse

1 in 7 boys, 14% experience abuse

10% of school children experience abuse

40-50% of child molestations are committed by juveniles

80% of abuse is not reported

See Resources on Reverse Side

* According to a recent report in *Church Law & Tax* (posted February 10, 2021) which cited Richard Hammar's study of church litigations since 1980.

Abuse Prevention at Insurance Board

THE SAFECONDUCT™ WORKBENCH

<https://www.insuranceboard.org/safety-central/safeconduct-abuse-prevention/>

Our comprehensive toolkit assists ministries in developing a strong abuse prevention program including proper guidelines and policies, background checks, and state of the art online abuse prevention training.



Click on each blue icon to learn more!



BACKGROUND SCREENING SERVICES

Discounted background screening services to help keep your most vulnerable safe. Industry best practices recommend that ministries conduct background screenings of any employee/volunteer (including parents) who have access to children and vulnerable adults. Failure to discover a known offender can affect those in your care, your reputation, financial stability, and trust within the community.

CREATING A SAFE ENVIRONMENT (C.A.S.E.)

Exclusive for Insurance Board participants, C.A.S.E. is a state of the art, research based, facilitator-led, video-based training that provides practical solutions to navigating the many “gray areas” that can emerge day-to-day. A facilitator within your ministry will learn to lead guided training programs for others within your ministry to help prevent abuse, including peer-on-peer abuse.



SAFECONDUCT™ POLICY

A strong policy is the foundation for a safe environment. This sample template can help save you many hours of debate and drafting. It includes guidance and essential content missing from many policies.



KNOW YOUR SCORE (KYS!)

Praesidium's Know Your Score (KYS)!, is built on the foundation of The Praesidium Safety Equation®, which establishes standards for abuse prevention in eight critical operations. Your KYS! Report is a tool created for your eyes only, and provides information and links to relevant resources that can help you build an action plan and close any risk gaps.



ONLINE TRAINING

At the core of the Armatus Learn to Protect System is a continually expanding library of engaging courses, each with clearly defined outcomes. Courses include research-based content, highly interactive multimedia activities, application scenarios, and a content mastery quiz. Armatus is a comprehensive system based on learning theory and best practices of adult learning.

Insurance Board Participants have access to:

- Armatus Online Learning
- C.A.S.E. Through Armatus
- Background Screenings (50% subsidy)
- Know Your Score! (KYS!) Online Self-Assessment
- Tip of the Month Email